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Document sharing service for network printing

Dienst um Dokumente fur Netzwerdrucker zu teilen

Service de partage de document pour imprimante de reseau

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ABSTRACT EP 1465052 A2

An internet accessible server permits access management to remote printing devices by remote users. Only users having printing access to a target remote printing device may submit a print job for printing on the target remote printing device. Users having printing access permission are further divided into owner status and user status. Owner status user of a remote printing device may grant or revoke the printing permission of non-owner status users. At least one owner status user is designated a super-owner, and can grant and revoke the owner status of other users. The super-owner user may relinquish its super-owner status to any other user. After submitting a print job for a target printing device, the print job is stored in a storage space on the Internet and is transferred to the target printing device only when the target printing device itself downloads the print job using standard internet protocols similar to those used in the downloading of a web page.

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...SPECIFICATION submitted the printer. The registered user that submits a remote printing device may alter the **password** of the submitted, **registered printing** device at any time.

In operation, a print job file is first uploaded through the Internet 17 to network **server** 15. The uploaded print job file is then sent via the Internet 17 to one...

...as a registered user within User Record 19, and fourth remote computing device 12 is **registered** as a **registered printing** device within **Printer** Record 21.

In a simplified scenario, first computing device 11 accesses network **server** 15 and submits its user name, and preferably also submits a user **password**. In the presently preferred embodiment, Access- ID Record 23 maintains a user **password** correlated to a corresponding registered user in User Record 19. After verifying that the submitted...

...remote printing device is responsible for maintaining its own

said network servers associates said new print...

...with an individually selected remote printing device within said targeted printer-group, then said network **server** associates the uploaded print-job file with only the individually selected remote printing device.

24. The internet printing system of claim 22 wherein each **registered** remote **printing** device may be associated with more than one of said printer-groups.

25. The internet...

...a user-record of registered users, and

said ID codes are passwords for identifying each **registered** user.

26. The internet **printing** system of claim 25 wherein:

each **registered** user has **printing** permission access to each **registered** **printing** device associated with the **registered** user's ID code;

said network **server** maintains one of an owner status and a user status association between each **registered** user and the **registered** **printing** devices to which each **registered** user has **printing** permission access;

**registered** users having owner status to a specific printing device may grant, or remove, printing permission...

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**Address book service for network printer**

**Adressbuchdienst fur Netzwerkdrucker**

**Service de carnet d'adresses pour imprimante de reseau**

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ABSTRACT EP 1465051 A2

An internet accessible server permits access management to remote printing devices by remote users. Only users having printing access to a target remote printing device may submit a print job for printing on the target remote printing device. Users having printing access permission are further divided into owner status and user status. Owner status user of a remote printing device may grant or revoke the printing permission of non-owner status users. At least one owner status user is designated a

super-owner, and can grant and revoke the owner status of other users. The super-owner user may relinquish its super-owner status to any other user. After submitting a print job for a target printing device, the print job is stored in a storage space on the Internet and is transferred to the target printing device only when the target printing device itself downloads the print job using standard internet protocols similar to those used in the downloading of a web page.

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...SPECIFICATION printer's owner, etc.

Before a printing device can be made available through the networks **server** , the **printing** device should first be **registered** with the site. Each **registered printing** device may be assigned an access **ID** , or **password** , such that the printing device, and its associated information in the database, is available only...submitted the printer. The registered user that submits a remote printing device may alter the **password** of the submitted, **registered printing** device at any time.

In operation, a print job file is first uploaded through the Internet 17 to network **server** 15. The uploaded print job file is then sent via the Internet 17 to one...

...as a registered user within User Record 19, and fourth remote computing device 12 is **registered** as a **registered printing** device within **Printer** Record 21.

In a simplified scenario, first computing device 11 accesses network **server** 15 and submits its user name, and preferably also submits a user **password** . In the presently preferred embodiment, Access- **ID** Record 23 maintains a user **password** correlated to a corresponding registered user in User Record 19. After verifying that the submitted...

...remote printing device is responsible for maintaining its own categorization set to "active" in network **server** 15. In other words, a **registered printing** device may be required to periodically submit an update to network **server** 15 for a specific data entry in the printing device's corresponding PD(underscore)data entry. For example, each **registered printing** device may be required to periodically contact network **server** 15 and identify itself as active by submitting its associated access **ID** . By requiring the printer's associated access **ID** , it can be assured the status of a remote printing device is not updated by...

...select any or all of the printing devices on the printer list provided by network **server** 15 as target recipients of the submitted print job

of each **registered printing** device being alterable by the **printing** device's associated, owner status, **registered** user.

35. The internet **printing** system of claim 22, wherein said network **server** further maintains a user-record of registered users and a group-record of access groups, wherein each **registered printing** device may be associated with at least one of said access groups, and wherein each...

...said access groups;

wherein each registered user associated with a specific access group is granted **printing** permission access to all **registered printing** devices also associated said specific access group.

36. The internet printing system of claim 35, wherein said network **server** maintains a record of identification **passwords** identifying each registered user; and

wherein said access identification information is a **password** for identifying a target user within said user-record and said selection list includes **registered printing** devices associated with all access groups to which said target user is also associated.

37. The internet printing system of claim 35, wherein said network **server** maintains a record of identification **passwords** each respectively identifying a different one of said access groups;

wherein said access identification information is a **password** for identifying a target access group within said group-record and said selection list includes...

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**Printing system**

**Druckersystem**

**Syteme d'impression**

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ABSTRACT EP 1310862 A2

An imaging system is provided with an authentication data storage that stores a plurality of pieces of authentication data in relationship to user IDs respectively representing owners of the plurality of communication devices. Further included is a reading system that reads out one of the plurality of pieces of the authentication data corresponding to a user ID if the user ID is transmitted from the external device in relationship to the image data, and a searching system searches for a communication device with which a connection authentication is established using the authentication data read out by the reading system within a predetermined communication area with respect to the imaging system. An imaging system forms an image represented by the image data transmitted in relationship to the user ID from the external device when the communication device is detected by the searching system.

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...SPECIFICATION unit 104, the CPU 101 executes the DATA REGISTRATION PROCEDURE shown in Fig. 9A to **register** the **printing** data with the data base 105a.

Fig. 9A is a flowchart illustrating the DATA REGISTRATION PROCEDURE executed by the CPU 101 of the **server** 101.

When the procedure is initiated, the **IDs** and printing data are extracted from the received packet (S560), to which a management **ID** is assigned (S570). In S580, the **IDs** and the printing data are stored in relationship...

...plurality of pieces of printing data in the data base 105a. Thus, when one management **ID** is designated in the data base 105a, one piece of printing data is identified.

When step S580 is done, the **server** 10 transmits a packet containing the recipient **ID** of the **registered** data to all the **printers** 10M in the network (S590) to notify registration of new data in the data base... it becomes unnecessary for the user to execute detailed setting on the workstation 40. By **registering** the recipient **ID** and the **printing** data with the **server** 100, when the user input the printing request through the wireless station 50 and sends...that the target printer 10M is determined based on the network address of the user **ID** receiving device, the printing data is printed by the printer close to the user.

In the above-described embodiment, as an example of **registering** the **printing** data with the database 105a of the **server** 100, a plurality of workstations 40 connected with the network 3 are described. The system...  
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Fig. 9A is a flowchart illustrating the DATA REGISTRATION PROCEDURE executed by the CPU 101 of the **server** 101.

When the procedure is initiated, the **IDs** and printing data are extracted from the received packet (S560), to which a management **ID** is assigned (S570). In S580, the IDs and the printing data are stored in relationship...

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**Remote network printing**

**Fernnetzwerkdrucken**

**Impression de reseau a distance**

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ABSTRACT EP 1306746 A1

A remote printing system comprises a job sending component arranged to transmit a print job comprising one or more print files and an indicator of one or more job receivers to a remote printing server. The remote printing server is arranged to receive print jobs from one or more job



sending components and to store the print jobs. The server is further arranged to receive notification of acceptance of at least a portion of a print job from one or more of the job receivers. A job receiving component is associated with a job receiver. The job receiving component is arranged to receive any of the portions of print jobs accepted by the associated job receiver and to transmit the accepted portions to a printer for printing.

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...SPECIFICATION on a computer 12 from which they wish to send print jobs. This also entails **registering** with the remote **printing server** where they are provided with a username and optionally a **password**. During registration, they can also provide one or more e-mail addresses as means for...

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**Method of printing over a network**

**Verfahren um uber ein Netzwerk zu Drucken**

**Methode pour imprimer sur un reseau**

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The invention proposes a scheme in which even in the case where a lot

of print sites each of which provides a printing service by secure network communication are constructed on a network the print sites can be managed easily, as well as a system as an implementation of such a scheme. A printing method is provided which uses a server computer for a relay between client computers and printers that are connected to each other via a network. The server computer establishes sessions in response to secure communication session establishment requests from a client computer and a printer, respectively. The server computer connects the two sessions, and the client computer sends a print job to the printer via the server computer and causes the printer to perform a printing operation.

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...SPECIFICATION embodiment, the printer 3 is so set as to send a registration request to the **server** computer 1 (specified in advance) according to an initialization program that is started upon application of power. The **registration** request contains a **printer** name and a **password**, for example.

In response to the **registration** request from the **printer** 3, the **server** computer 1 judges whether to **authenticate** the **printer** 3 (step 302). If the **printer** 3 was **authenticated** at step 302, the **server** computer 1 acquires printer information of prescribed items from the printer 3 (step 303).

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**Controlling printing on a network**

**Drucksteuerung auf einem Netzwerk**

**Commande d'impression dans un reseau**

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There is disclosed a method of enabling a computer network user to print a task on a printer 5 connected to the network via an associated printer server 2. In the method a database 9 of print credit tokens is maintained on the printer server or another server connected to the network. The printer server queries the credit token database and determines, in advance of printing the task, whether the credit token database holds sufficient tokens to enable the task to be printed and, if it does, it sends the task to the printer and decrements the print credit token number held in the credit token database 9. On a remote server, a database 8 of printer servers and associated printers is maintained and the credit token database connects to the printer server database automatically or at the instigation of a user on the network to verify the identity of the printer server 2. The identity is verified at the printer server database 8 and print credit tokens are downloaded to the credit token database 9 to update the database of print credit tokens after verification of the identity of the printer server 2.

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...ABSTRACT server, a database 8 of printer servers and associated printers is maintained and the credit token database connects to the printer server database automatically or at the instigation of a user on the network to verify the identity of the printer server 2. The identity is verified at the printer server database 8 and print credit tokens are downloaded to the credit token database 9 to update the database of print credit tokens after verification of the identity of the printer server 2.

...SPECIFICATION and, if it does, sending the task to the printer and decrementing the print credit token number held in the credit token database; maintaining, on a remote server, a database of printer servers and associated printers; connecting the credit token database to the printer server database automatically or at the instigation of a user on the network; verifying the identity of the printer server at the printer server database; and downloading print credit tokens to the credit token database to update the database of print credit tokens after verification of the identity of the printer server .

The web server , when issuing a credit, allows the end user, using a proprietary client application, to release his own on-site server

- update the database of print credit tokens after verification of the identity of the printer server .
2. A method according to claim 1, wherein the credit token database and the printer server database are a single database.
  3. A method according to claim 1 or claim 2, wherein the credit token database is located on a server remote from the printer server.
  4. A method according...
- ...connected to a printer server on the network, the method comprising decrementing the print credit token number held in the credit token database each time a task is printed on the printer; maintaining, on a remote server, a database of printer servers and associated printers; and connecting the credit token database to the printer server database automatically or at the instigation of a user on the network; verifying the identity of the printer server at the printer server database; and downloading print credit tokens to the credit token database to update the database of print credit tokens after verification of the identity of the printer server .
10. A method according to any of claims 1 to 9, wherein the printer server database queries the printer server for an identity string and compares this string against a database of authorised identities; and...
- ...credit card payment.
13. A method according to claim 10, wherein purchase of print credit tokens is achieved by authorising payment via account billing.
  14. A method according to any of claims 1 to 13, where verification of the identity of the printer server is achieved by use of a hardware key , or dongle attached to the printer server .
  15. A method according to any of claims 1 to 14, wherein the computer network...
- ...method in accordance with any of claims 1 to 16, further comprising providing a block token issuer; and authorising blocks of credits to the printer server database for enabling print credit tokens to be supplied to the credit token database.

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The printing system includes a service server system, from which data is downloaded, and a printer client downloads the data and conducts image output based on the data. In the printing system, the service server system acquires information to specify the printer client from the printer client itself that requests access to the service server system. The service server system specifies abstract data, allowed to be transmitted to the printer client, in accordance with a copyright protection level and the printer client downloads the abstract data specified by the service server system to conduct image output.

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...SPECIFICATION showing the copyright protection level stored in printer information storage section 42, the service side **server** 100 judges the copyright protection level of the printer client 200 based on the code (S51).

Being **authenticated**, the **printer** client 200 specifies abstract data to be downloaded and sends the result of the specifying to the service side **server** 100 (S52). Each abstract data is given peculiar **ID** code (hereinafter referred to as an abstract code) for each case, and when the abstract...

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Remote printing of secure and/or authenticated documents  
Ferndrucken von sicheren und/oder authentifizierten Dokumenten  
Impression a distance de documents securises et/ou authentifies  
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A method for the remote printing of a document by use of a network, the method including receiving at a server the document as sent from a sender; the server forwarding the document to a recipient; the document being authenticated prior to being forwarded to the recipient; and the server receiving instructions from the sender regards printing controls and the server implementing those controls on the recipient. A hardware device to support the printing controls is also disclosed.

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...CLAIMS 18. A method as claimed in claim 8, characterised in that the printer and the **server** system perform secure handshaking to **authenticate** each other, the **printer** and the **server** using one or more selected from the group consisting of a public **key** pair or the symmetry **key** of the printer, the **server** sending the encrypted document hash, an optical watermark, and printing instructions, to the printer and...

...being trusted in the printing control process to minimise attack on the client software, the **server** communicating with the **printer** through the client software to **verify** the **printer serial number** and internet protocol address, check the status of the printer, locks a control panel of...

...with an on-chip program, and an interface; the hardware device being registered with the **server**.

27. A method as claimed in claim 26, characterised in that the machine includes the printer, the hardware device being integral with the

- printer , the printer being registered with the server .
28. A method as claimed in claim 26, characterised in that the secure memory has an accessible memory that can be accessed only when a password of a user is entered and verified, the access being only to a block of...

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User support

Benutzerunterstützung

Assistance a l'utilisateur

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Online support is given for operation of a device. First, a client system equipped with the device is connected to a user support server that gives online support for operation of the device. Next, the client system transmits device information for which the device model can be specified and use environment information indicative of an operation environment of the device to the user support server system. Finally, using the information transmitted to the user support server system, the device support information for supporting operation of the device that the client system has is generated, and the device support information is transmitted to the client system.

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...SPECIFICATION clicking this user support icon.

At step S106, computer 90 is connected to user support **server** system SV. This connection is made automatically using the **printer ID** **registered** in computer 90. When the connection is completed, the process advances to step S107 and the user registration process to user support **server** system SV is started.

Figure 4 is a flow chart that shows the procedure for the registration process to the user support **server** system SV. At step S201, the user's **printer ID** is **registered** to the user support **server** system SV. By **registering** the **printer ID**, it is possible to create a customer database with this as a reference, making customer...is installed.

When install is completed normally, that fact is transmitted to the user support **server**, and the user ID and **printer ID** of that user are **registered**. At that time, it is preferable that the printing environment information be automatically uploaded to the user support **server** system SV.

Provision of new technology can be limited to registered users by the above...

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A print system for use through a network comprises a service system connected to the network and having a storage section in which a plurality of data are stored in a plurality of data storing locations; and a printer client system connected to the network and having a printer, wherein the printer client system accesses the service system through the network so as to obtain a data storing location of request data, downloads the request data from the obtained data storing location of the storage section, and conducts printing on the basis of the request data by the printer; and wherein the printer client system notifies the printing result to the service system.

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...SPECIFICATION to data for printing are conducted.

The collating section 16 collates whether the request from **printer** client 40 is **authenticated** by master **server** 30 or not. In the case of the collation, job **ID** (described later) received from printer client 40 is transmitted to master **server** 30 to request the collation of whether the print job relating to the job **ID** is a print job granted by the master server 30 or not, and the results...

...13 is provided in printer client 40 as described later.

In Fig. 5, the master **server** 30 has therein main control section 301, **authentication** section 302, **printing** specifying section 303, quotation preparing section 304, job **ID** issuing section 305, collating section 306, the payment charging process section 307, address storage section...the data encrypted by its own public key, it decrypts them by its own secret **key**.

The communication section 311 executes, by means of the known protocol, communication between data server 10 and master **server** 30 and communication between the master **server** 30 and printer client 40, through internet INet.

It is also possible to employ the structure wherein **authentication** section 302, **printing** specifying section 303, quotation preparing section 304, job **ID** issuing section 305, collating section 306, the payment charging process section 307, and cryptograph processing... printer client 40 become feasible. The log-in request from a user

registered in master **server** 30 as a utilizer of a print system or from the printer client is judged to be correct. Results of **authentication** are notified to **printer** client 40.

After the **authentication**, the **printer** client 40 specifies text data to be printed, and transmits the result of the specification to master **server** 30 (S13). Each of text data is given peculiar **ID** code (hereinafter referred to as book code) for each case, and when the text data...conversion section 13, compression section 14 and cryptograph processing section 15 are provided, these plural **servers** constitute data **server** 10.

Though master **server** 30 in Fig. 5 has been explained by the example wherein main control section 301, **authentication** section 302, **printing** specifying section 303, quotation preparing section 304, job **ID** issuing section 305, collating section 306, the payment charging process section 307, address storage section...

...one server, it is also possible to disperse these sections to be processed by plural **servers**.

Further, there may also be present plural master **servers** 30 each being provided with main control section 301, **authentication** section 302, **printing** specifying section 303, quotation preparing section 304, job **ID** issuing section 305, collating section 306, the payment charging process section 307, address storage section...data for image formation are conducted.

The collating section 16 collates whether the request from **printer** client 40 is **authenticated** by master **server** 30 or not. In the case of the collation, job **ID** (described later) received from printer client 40 is transmitted to master **server** 30 to request the collation of whether the print job relating to the job **ID** is a print job granted by the master server 30 or not, and the results...book code in printer information storage section 402.

After receiving the order data, the master **server** 30 issues specific job **ID** in job **ID** issuance section 305 for each print job relating to order request from **printer** client 40 that has **approved** the estimation (S19). Then, the job **ID** issued by the job **ID** issuance section 305 is stored in storage section 309 together with **ID**, the user's name sent in the case of the order request, the book code...S36) for printer client 40 that is a target for accounting, based on the job **ID**, and the print job is terminated.

A user operates printer client 40 to transmit the request of log-out to master **server** 30 (S37), and the master **server** 30 conducts authentication (S38) after receiving the request of log-out, thus, results of the **authentication** are notified to the **printer** client 40 (S39). The communication channel secured between the master **server** 30 and the printer client

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PLEASE ENTER A COMMAND OR BE LOGGED OFF IN 5 MINUTES

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Printing system

Drucksystem

Système d'impression

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A client transmits only job information of print data to a server, the server manages a print order in accordance with the job information, and if printable, the client transmits the print data directly to a printer. After the print is completed, the printer notifies the server of a print completion, and upon reception of this print completion notice, the server instructs the client to delete the print data. In a print system on a network configured as above, the network traffic is not increased, a large memory capacity is not necessary for the server so that the server load is reduced, the job management of the server can be performed by the client, the completion of a print operation can be monitored, and a print operation is possible even if the server is in an error state.

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...SPECIFICATION S3808 it is checked whether the printer handle as one parameter of a print job ID acquire function is correct, i.e., whether there is **printer** information corresponding to the **printer registered** in the virtual print **server**. If there is corresponding printer information, at Step S3809 an ID different from the job ID presently managed by the virtual print server is issued and returned back to the print...

...is one parameter of a job cancel function is correct, i.e., whether there is **printer** information corresponding to the **printer registered** in the virtual print **server**. If there is corresponding printer information, at Step S3907 the job ID area of the job information table linked to all the job information queues is searched...

...it is checked whether the printer handle which is one parameter of the print job ID acquire function has corresponding **printer** information **registered** in the virtual print **server**. If there is no corresponding printer information, at Step S3817 the print job ID acquire function is terminated as error to follow B in Fig. 39.  
At Step S3812...

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At Step S3812...

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English Abstract

A data processing method, which is provided in an image processing system in which a server and a data processor communicate with each other to perform a predetermined data process, includes a step of extracting a feature amount of electronic data to be output from a printer, a step of transmitting original specifying information including the extracted feature amount and a user ID for discriminating a print requester of the electronic data, to the **server**, a step of controlling generation of print data to be output to the **printer**, based on original **certification** information notified by the **server**, and a step of causing the printer to print the generated print data and information indicating that the print data corresponds to an original. By this method, a large storage capacity is not required to certify one data, and to keep a secret of the stored electronic data is easy.

French Abstract

L'invention porte sur un procede de traitement de donnees mis au point dans un systeme de traitement d'image dans lequel un serveur et un processeur de donnees communiquent entre eux afin d'effectuer un traitement de donnees predetermine. Ce procede consiste a extraire une quantite de caracteristiques de donnees electroniques devant etre fournies par une imprimante, transmettre au serveur les informations de specification originales comprenant la quantite de caracteristiques extraites et une identification utilisateur afin de differencier un demandeur d'impression ; controler la generation de donnees d'impression a envoyer a l'imprimante sur la base des informations de certification originales notifiees par le serveur, et commander a l'imprimante l'impression des donnees generees et des informations indiquant que les donnees d'impression correspondent a un original. Par ce procede, il n'est pas necessaire d'avoir une grande capacite de stockage pour certifier certaines donnees et il est facile de garder secretes les donnees electroniques stockees.

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English Abstract

...a step of transmitting original specifying information including the extracted feature amount and a user ID for discriminating a print requester of the electronic data, to the **server**, a step of controlling generation of print data to be output to the **printer**, based on original **certification** information notified by the **server**, and a step of causing the printer to print the generated print data and information...

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**ROTATIONALLY SYMMETRIC TAGS**

**REPERES A SYMETRIE ROTATIONNELLE**

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#### English Abstract

Machine-readable coded data disposed on or in a substrate in accordance with a layout, and method of generating such coded data, The layout has six-fold rotational symmetry and includes 6 identical sub-layouts rotated 1/6 revolutions apart about a center of rotational symmetry of the layout. The coded data is disposed in accordance with each sub-layout including rotation-indicating data that distinguishes the rotation of that sub-layout from the rotation of at least one other sub-layout within the layout. In one embodiment, the symbols of the sub-layouts are interleaved with each other

#### French Abstract

L'invention concerne des donnees codees pouvant etre lues par une machine disposees sur ou dans un substrat conformement a disposition, ainsi qu'un procede permettant de generer de telles donnees codees. La disposition presente une symetrie rotationnelle a six plis et elle comprend 6 sous-dispositions identiques decalees de 1/6 de revolutions autour d'un centre de la symetrie rotationnelle de la disposition. Les donnees codees sont disposees conformement a chaque sous-disposition, y compris des donnees d'indication de rotation distinguant la rotation de cette sous-disposition de la rotation d'au moins une autre sous-disposition dans la disposition. Dans un mode de realisation, les symboles des sous-dispositions sont entrelaces.

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Claims

#### Claim

... reference is made to the secure transmission of information between a netpage printer and a **server**, what actually happens is that the **printer** obtains the **server**'s certificate, **authenticates** it with reference to the certificate authority, uses the public **key**-exchange **key** in the certificate to exchange a secret session **key** with the **server**, and then uses the secret session **key** to encrypt the message data. A session **key**, by definition, can have an arbitrarily short lifetime.

#### 3.2 NETPAGE PRINTER SECURITY

Each netpage printer is assigned a pair of unique **identifiers** at time of manufacture which are stored in read-only memory in the **printer** and in the netpage **registration server** database. The first **ID** 62 is public and uniquely identifies the printer on the netpagenet- When the printer connects...

...the IDs match. It then creates and signs a certificate containing the printer's public ID and public signature key, and stores the certificate in the registration database. The netpage registration server acts as a certificate authority for netpage printers, since it has access to secret information allowing it to verify printer identity. When a user subscribes to a publication, a record is created in the netpage registration server database authorizing the publisher to print the publication to the user's default printer or...

...a particular user and is signed by the publisher using the publisher's private signature key. The page server verifies, via the registration database, that the publisher is authorized to deliver the publication to the specified user. The page server verifies the signature using the publisher's public key, obtained from the publisher's certificate stored in the registration database. The netpage registration server accepts requests to add printing authorizations to the database, so long as those requests are initiated via a pen registered to the printer.

### 3.3 NETPAGE PEN SECURITY

Each netpage pen is assigned a unique, identifier at time of manufacture which is stored in read-only memory in the pen and...

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## METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR THE APPROVAL OF AN ELECTRONIC DOCUMENT OVER A NETWORK PROCEDE ET SYSTEME PERMETTANT D'APPROUVER UN DOCUMENT ELECTRONIQUE SUR UN RESEAU

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English Abstract

A method and system for a proponent to enable a correspondent to securely and electronically sign a document are disclosed. A proponent server is provided with a proponent application including secure approval tools for verifying or signing the document. A correspondent application is installed on a terminal of the correspondent. The correspondent application allows the correspondent to access the proponent application from his terminal, and use the approval tools for verifying or signing documents selected by the proponent. The document may then be securely transmitted back to the correspondent and securely printed at either end.

French Abstract

La presente invention concerne un procede et un systeme destines a l'auteur d'une proposition et permettant a un correspondant de signer un document de maniere sure et par voie electronique. Un serveur de l'auteur de la proposition comprend une application d'auteur de proposition qui presente des outils d'approbation securisee permettant de verifier ou de signer le document. Une application de correspondant est installee sur un terminal du correspondant. Cette application de correspondant permet au correspondant d'accéder a l'application d'auteur de proposition depuis son terminal et d'utiliser les outils d'approbation afin de verifier ou de signer des documents choisis par l'auteur de la proposition. Le document peut ensuite etre retransmis de maniere securisee au correspondant et etre imprime de maniere securisee a chaque extremite.

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Claims

Claim

... signature,

46 The system according to claim 45, wherein said signing means comprise a correspondent **identifier** provided on said proponent **server**, said correspondent **identifier** including the correspondent electronic signature.

47 The system according to claim 39, wherein said correspondent application comprises secure printing means for securely **printing** the electronic document as **approved**.

48 The system according to claim 39, wherein said transmitting means include a messaging application...

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**PRINT DRIVER APPARATUS AND METHODS FOR FORWARDING A PRINT JOB OVER A NETWORK**

**PILOTE D'IMPRESSION ET PROCEDES PERMETTANT D'ENVOYER UN TRAVAIL D'IMPRESSION SUR UN RESEAU**

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**English Abstract**

The present invention relates to methods and apparatus for forwarding a print job over a communications network. In particular, the present invention enables a user to obtain print jobs at a location which may be unspecified, and which may be remote from the source (10) of the print job. A print driver is provided which is capable of forwarding one or more print jobs over a network. The print driver may be interfaced with any suitable print job source (10) (eg., a client device capable of generating a printable document, such as a computer) to obtain a print job. The print job is forwarded from the print driver, over the network, to a spooling server (50). A printer polling device (100), which may be used at a location remote from the client device (10), is capable of polling a spooling server (50) via the network (110) to identify whether any print jobs associated with the printer polling device (100) are available for printing at a printer (120) currently associated with the printer polling device. The spooling server (50) need not initiate contact with the printer (120) through a firewall, since it is polled by the printer polling device. Thus, network security is maintained.

**French Abstract**

L'invention concerne des procedes et un appareil permettant d'envoyer un travail d'impression sur un reseau de communications. L'invention permet

notamment a un utilisateur d'obtenir des travaux d'impression au niveau d'un emplacement qui peut ne pas etre specifie, et qui peut etre distant de la source (10) dudit travail d'impression. Un pilote d'impression permet d'envoyer au moins un travail d'impression sur un reseau. Ledit pilote d'impression permet d'etablir une interface avec une source (10) de travail d'impression appropriee (par exemple, un dispositif de client capable de produire un document imprimable, tel qu'un ordinateur) afin d'obtenir un travail d'impression. Ledit travail d'impression est transmis sur le reseau, a partir du pilote d'impression, a un serveur de desynchronisation (50) des entrees-sorties. Un dispositif d'interrogation (100) d'imprimante pouvant etre utilise au niveau de l'emplacement distant du dispositif client (10) est capable d'interroger un serveur de desynchronisation (50) des entrees-sorties via le reseau (110), de facon a identifier si des travaux d'impression quelconques associes au dispositif d'interrogation (100) d'imprimante ont disponibles pour etre imprimes au niveau d'une imprimante (120) couramment associee audit dispositif d'interrogation d'imprimante. Du fait qu'il est interroge par le dispositif d'interrogation d'imprimante, le serveur de desynchronisation (50) des entrees-sorties n'a pas besoin d'etablir de contact avec l'imprimante (120) par l'intermediaire d'un pare-feu. En consequence, la securite du reseau est maintenue.

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... server 50 needs to verify that it is indeed talking to the actual user.

The **server** generates a random string of bits 350. These bits are sent to the **printer** polling device 100 where **authentication** is to take place. The user's PIN 150 is used to generate an encryption **key** 152 for encrypting the bits (indicated at 155) and the result is returned to the ...

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**METHODS AND SYSTEMS FOR THE PROVISION OF PRINTING SERVICES**

**PROCEDES ET SYSTEMES PERMETTANT D'ASSURER LA PRESTATION DE SERVICES D'IMPRESSION**

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English Abstract

The present invention relates to methods and systems for providing printing services over a communications network. In particular, the present invention enables a user to obtain print jobs at an unspecified location which may be remote from the source of the print job. A spooling server (50) is used to store a print job received via the network from a print job source (10). A printer polling device (100), which may be at a location remote from the print job source, is capable of polling the spooling server (50) via the network (110) to identify whether any print jobs associated with the printer polling device (100) are available for printing at an associated printer (120). The spooling server (50) need not initiate contact with the printer (120) through a firewall, since it is polled by the printer polling device (100). Thus, network security is maintained. A fee can be charged for the printing services provided.

French Abstract

La presente invention traite de procedes et de systemes permettant d'assurer la prestation de services d'impression sur un reseau de communications. En particulier, la presente invention permet a un utilisateur d'obtenir des impressions dans un lieu non specifie pouvant etre eloigne de la source de l'impression. Un serveur de desynchronisation des entrees-sorties (50) permet de memoriser une impression recue d'une source (10) d'impression par l'intermediaire du reseau. Un dispositif d'interrogation d'imprimante (100), pouvant etre situe dans un lieu eloigne de la source d'impression, peut interroger le serveur de desynchronisation des entrees-sorties (50) par l'intermediaire du reseau (110) afin de determiner si de quelconques impressions associees au dispositif d'interrogation d'imprimante (100) sont pretes a

etre imprimees sur une imprimante (120) associee. Le serveur d'interrogation (50) n'a pas besoin d'entrer en contact avec l'imprimante (120) a travers un coupe-feu, du fait que ledit serveur est interroge par le dispositif d'interrogation d'imprimante (100). Ainsi, la securite du reseau est conservee. Les services d'impression rendus peuvent etre payants.

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**PRINTER POLLING APPARATUS AND METHODS FOR REQUESTING AND RECEIVING PRINT JOBS OVER A NETWORK**

**APPAREIL D'APPEL POUR DISPOSITIFS D'IMPRESSION ET PROCEDES PERMETTANT DE DEMANDER ET DE RECEVOIR DES TRAVAUX D'IMPRESSION PAR L'INTERMEDIAIRE D'UN RESEAU**

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#### English Abstract

The present invention relates to methods and apparatus for requesting and receiving print jobs over a communications network. In particular, the present invention enables a user to obtain print jobs at a location which may be unspecified, and which may be remote from the source of the print job. A spooling server (50) is used to store a print job received via the network from a print job source (10). A printer polling device (100), which may be used at a location remote from the client device (10), is capable of polling the spooling server (50) via the network (110) to identify whether any print jobs associated with the printer polling device (100) are available for printing at a printer (120) currently associated with the polling device (100). The spooling server (50) need not initiate contact with the printer (120) through a firewall, since it is polled by the printer polling device (100). Thus, network security is maintained.

#### French Abstract

La presente invention se rapporte a des procedes et a un appareil permettant de demander et de recevoir des travaux d'impression par l'intermediaire d'un reseau de transmission. En particulier, la presente invention permet a l'utilisateur d'obtenir des travaux d'impression a un emplacement qui peut ne pas etre specifie, et qui peut etre eloigne de la source du travail d'impression. Un serveur d'impression differee (50) est utilise pour stocker un travail d'impression recu par l'intermediaire du reseau a partir d'une source de travaux d'impression (10). Un dispositif d'appel (100) pour dispositifs d'impression, qui peut etre utilise a un emplacement eloigne du dispositif client (10), peut inviter le serveur d'impression differee (50) a emettre des impressions par l'intermediaire du reseau (110) pour determiner si de quelconques travaux d'impression associes au dispositif d'appel (100) sont disponibles pour impression sur une imprimante (120) actuellement associee au dispositif d'appel (100). Le serveur d'impression differee (50) n'a pas besoin d'etablir un contact avec l'imprimante (120) au moyen d'un pare-feu, car la liaison s'effectue par le biais du dispositif d'appel (100), maintenant ainsi la securite du reseau.

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to the **printer** polling device 100 where **authentication** is to take  
place. The user's PIN 150 is used to generate an encryption **key** 152 for  
encrypting the bits (indicated at 155) and the result is returned to the  
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**SPOOLING SERVER APPARATUS AND METHODS FOR RECEIVING, STORING AND FORWARDING  
A PRINT JOB OVER A NETWORK**

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#### English Abstract

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#### French Abstract

La presente invention concerne des procedes et des appareils pour recevoir, stocker, et envoyer des impressions sur un reseau de communication. En particulier, la presente invention permet a un utilisateur d'obtenir des impressions en un emplacement qui peut etre non specifie, et qui peut etre eloigne de la source de l'impression. Un serveur d'impression differee (50) est utilise pour stocker une impression recue via le reseau a partir d'une source d'impressions (10). Un dispositif de scrutation de l'imprimante (100) qui peut etre utilise en un emplacement eloigne du dispositif du client (10) permet de scruter le serveur d'impression differee (50) via le reseau (110) pour identifier si des impressions associees au dispositif de scrutation de l'imprimante (100) sont disponibles pour etre imprimees au niveau d'une imprimante (120) associee au dispositif scrutateur (100). Le serveur (50) n'a pas besoin d'initier le contact avec l'imprimante (120) via un pare-feu, etant donne qu'il est scrute par le dispositif de scrutation (100) de l'imprimante, ce qui assure la securite du reseau.

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The **server** generates a random string of bits 350. These bits are sent to the **printer** polling device 100 where **authentication** is to take



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**REMOTE PRINTING OF SECURE AND/OR AUTHENTICATED DOCUMENTS**

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English Abstract

A method for the remote printing of a document by use of a network, the method including the steps of: (a) receiving at a server the document as sent from a sender; (b) the server forwarding the document to a recipient; (c) the document being authenticated prior to being forwarded to the recipient; and (d) the server receiving instructions from the sender regards printing controls and the server implementing those controls on the recipient. A hardware device to support the printing controls is also disclosed.

French Abstract

Cette invention se rapporte a un procede qui sert a imprimer a distance un document a l'aide d'un reseau et qui consiste a cet effet: (a) a recevoir au niveau d'un serveur le document envoye par un expéditeur; (b) pour le serveur, a acheminer le document a un destinataire; (c) le document etant authentifie avant d'etre achemine au destinataire; et (d) pour le serveur, a recevoir des instructions en provenance de l'expéditeur au sujet des commandes d'impression et a executer ces commandes a l'intention du destinataire. Un dispositif materiel prenant en charge les commandes d'impression est egalement decrit.

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Claims

Detailed Description

... and the secure clock can be used to keep time.

Preferably, the printer and the **server** use a public **key** pair or symmetry **key** of the **printer** to perform secure handshaking to **authenticate** each other.

The **server** may send an encrypted document hash and optical waterinark, and printing instructions, to the printer...

...with an on-chip program, and an interface; the hardware device being registered with the **server** . The machine may include the printer, the hardware device being integral with the **printer** ; the **printer** being **registered** with the **server** .

The secure memory may have an accessible memory that can be accessed only when a **password** of a user is entered and verified, the access being only to a block of...secure in the sense that it prevents attacks from outside to the clock, to the **key** and program, and to the run-time program.

When a user requests authority to print an authenticated copy, the **server** system communicates with the printer to complete the handshaking process via the client.

After successful **authentication** of the **printer** and the **server** system based on public **key** pairs, the **server** system sends the encrypted hash and optical watermark with time stamp, as well as printing ...up process. A set of unique user ID keys and initial passwords corresponding to each **key** set is stored in the hardware device's secure memory. A copy of all these **keys** is also stored in the trusted **server** . The sender and receiver, as well as their hardware devices, have to be registered with the trusted **server** before using the secure **printing** process.

Receiver's **registration** process

The receiver should register with the trusted **server** before receiving documents. The registering process may be.

1. the receiver requests registration at the **server** by providing their information such as user name, email address, as well as the **ID** of their hardware device; 2. the server processes the receiver's request. If approved, the...is kept empty (written with zeros) when it is manufactured. A copy of all necessary **keys** is also stored in the trusted **server**. All senders and receivers, and their hardware devices, have to be registered with the trusted **server** together before they can use the secure **printing** process.

The receiver's **registration** process is the same as that mentioned in scheme 1 and includes.

1 the sender connects to the trusted **server** through a secure link (e.g. SSQ using their user **ID** and **password** ;  
2. after successful authentication, the sender prepares their document by.

a) encrypting the document or...are license keys and are used to encrypt the unique seal. The TKey (Top-up **Key** ) is used in the top up process. A copy of all these **keys** is also stored in the trusted **server**. All senders and receivers, together with their hardware devices, have to be registered with the trusted **server** before using the secure **printing** process.

The receiver's **registration** process is somewhat easier than that described above, and includes.

1. the receiver raises a request for registration at the **server** by providing their information such as, for example, user name, email address;  
2. the server...

#### Claim

... keep time. 29) A method as claimed in claim 27, wherein the printer and the **server** system perform secure handshaking to **authenticate** each other, the **printer** and the **server** using one or more selected from the group consisting of a public **key** pair or the symmetry **key** of the printer. 30) A method as claimed in claim 27, wherein the server sends...  
...attack on the client software. 36) A method as claimed in claim 35, wherein the **server** communicates with the **printer** through the client software to **verify** the **printer serial number** and internet protocol address, check the status of the printer, locks a control panel of...  
...with an on-chip program, and an interface; the hardware device being registered with the **server**. 46) A method as claimed in claim 43 or claim 44, wherein the machine includes the printer, the hardware device being integral with the **printer**; the **printer** being **registered** with the **server**. 47) A method as claimed in claim 45, wherein the secure memory has an accessible memory that can be accessed only when a **password** of a user is entered and verified, the access being only to a block of...

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**BUSINESS CARD AS ELECTRONIC MAIL AUTHORIZATION TOKEN**

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**English Abstract**

The present invention provides a method of enabling a first user to obtain, using a business card of a second user, authority to transmit electronic mail to the second user, the business card including coded data indicative of the identity of the business card and of at least one reference point of the business card, the method including the steps of: receiving, in a computer system, indicating data from a sensing device regarding the identity of the business card and a position of the sensing device relative to the business card, the sensing device, when placed in an operative position relative to the business card, sensing the indicating data using at least some of the coded data; identifying, in the computer system and from the indicating data a request to authorise the transmission of electronic mail from the first to the second user; and recording, in the computer system, an authority allowing the first user to transmit electronic mail to the second user.

**French Abstract**

La presente invention se rapporte a un procede visant a permettre a un premier utilisateur d'obtenir, au moyen d'une carte professionnelle d'un second utilisateur, l'autorisation de transmettre du courrier

electronique au second utilisateur, ladite carte professionnelle comportant des donnees codees representatives de l'identite de la carte professionnelle et d'au moins un point de reference de la carte professionnelle. Ledit procede consiste a recevoir, dans un systeme informatique, des donnees representatives en provenance d'un dispositif capteur qui concernent l'identite de la carte professionnelle et une position dudit dispositif capteur par rapport a la carte professionnelle, ledit dispositif capteur etant concu pour capter, lorsqu'il est place dans une position operationnelle par rapport a la carte professionnelle, les donnees representatives au moyen d'au moins certaines des donnees codees; a identifier, dans le systeme informatique et a partir des donnees representatives, une demande d'autorisation de transmission du courrier electronique du premier vers le second utilisateur; et a enregistrer, dans le systeme informatique, une autorisation permettant au premier utilisateur d'emettre le courrier electronique a destination de second utilisateur.

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... reference is made to the secure transmission of information between a netpage printer and a **server**, what actually happens is that the **printer** obtains the **server**'s certificate, **authenticates** it with reference to the certificate authority, uses the public **key**-exchange **key** in the certificate to exchange a secret session **key** with the **server**, and then uses the secret session **key** to encrypt the message data.

A session **key**, by definition, can have an arbitrarily short lifetime.

### 3.2 NETPAGE PRINTER SECURITY

Each netpage printer is assigned a pair of unique **identifiers** at time of manufacture which are stored in read-only memory in the **printer** and in the netpage **registration server** database. The first **ID** 62 is public and uniquely identifies the printer on the netpage network. The second **ID** is secret and is used when the printer is first registered on the network.

When...

...the IDs match. It then creates and signs a certificate containing the printer's public **ID** and public signature **key**, and stores the certificate in the registration database.

The netpage registration **server** acts as a ...certificate authority for netpage printers, since it has access to secret information allowing it to **verify printer** identity.

- 42 When a user subscribes to a publication, a record is created in the netpage registration **server** database authorizing the publisher to print the publication to the user's default printer or...

...a particular user and is signed by the publisher using the publisher's private signature **key**. The page server verifies, via the registration

database, that the publisher is authorized to deliver the publication to the specified user. The page **server** verifies the signature using the publisher's public **key** , obtained from the publisher's certificate stored in the registration database.

The netpage **registration server** accepts requests to add **printing authorizations** to the database, so long as those requests are initiated via a pen **registered** to the **printer** .

### 0 3.3 NETPAGE PEN SECURITY

Each netpage pen is assigned a unique **identifier** at time of manufacture which is stored in readonly memory in the pen and in...

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### DIGITAL CAMERA WITH INTERACTIVE PRINTER

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#### English Abstract

A camera for capturing an image and printing a first interface onto a first surface, in response to a user input, and for printing a second interface onto a second surface, in response to first indicating data received from a sensing device in the form of a stylus. The first indicating data is sensed by the stylus from first coded data. The first interface includes the first coded data. The camera includes a camera module, an input module and a printing module. The camera module includes an image sensor. The camera module is configured to receive a user input, and, in response to the user input, capture the image via the image sensor. The input module is configured to receive the first indicating data from the stylus, the first indicating data being at least partially indicative of response data. The input module generates second indicating data based on the first indicating data, the second indicating data being at least partially indicative of the response data. The second indicating data is sent to a computer system. The printing module includes a printing mechanism. The printing module is configured to receive the image from the camera module and print the first interface onto the first surface using the printing mechanism. The first interface is based at least partly on the image. The printing module is also configured to receive the response data from the computer system and print the second interface onto the second surface using the printing mechanism. The second interface is based at least partially on the response data.

#### French Abstract

L'invention concerne un appareil photo permettant de capturer une image et d'imprimer, d'une part, une première interface sur une première surface suite à une entrée de l'utilisateur et, d'autre part, une seconde interface sur une seconde surface suite aux premières données d'indication transmises par un capteur présentant la forme d'un stylet. Les premières données d'indication sont captées par le stylet à partir des premières données codées. La première interface comprend les premières données codées. L'appareil photo comprend un module appareil photo et un module imprimante. Le module appareil photo comprend un capteur d'image. Il est conçu pour recevoir une entrée de l'utilisateur, et, suite à cette entrée, pour capturer l'image par l'intermédiaire du capteur d'image. Le module d'entrée est conçu pour recevoir les premières données d'indication transmises par le stylet, ces données représentant, au moins en partie, les données de réponse. Le module d'entrée produit des secondes données d'indication basées sur les premières données d'indication. Ces secondes données représentent, au moins en partie, les données de réponse. Les secondes données d'indication sont transmises à un système informatique. Le module imprimante comprend un mécanisme d'impression. Il est conçu pour recevoir l'image transmise par le module appareil photo et pour imprimer la première interface sur une première surface par l'intermédiaire du mécanisme d'impression. Le module imprimante est également conçu pour recevoir les données de réponse transmises par le système informatique et pour imprimer la seconde interface sur la seconde surface par l'intermédiaire du mécanisme d'impression. La seconde interface se fonde, au moins en partie, sur les données de réponse.

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## Detailed Description

### Detailed Description

... reference is made to the secure transmission of information between a netpage printer and a **server**, what actually happens is that the **printer** obtains the **server**'s certificate, **authenticates** it with reference to the certificate authority, uses the public **key** -exchange **key** in the certificate to exchange a secret session **key** with the **server**, and then uses the secret session **key** to encrypt the message data. A session **key**, by definition, can have an arbitrarily short lifetime.

### 3.2 NETPAGE PRINTER SECURITY

Each netpage printer is assigned a pair of unique **identifiers** at time of manufacture which are stored in readonly memory in the **printer** and in the netpage **registration server** database. The first **ID** 62 is public and uniquely identifies the printer on the netpage network. The second **ID** is secret and is used when the printer is first registered on the network.

When...

...the IDs match. It then creates and signs a certificate containing the printer's public **ID** and public signature **key**, and stores the certificate in the registration database.

The netpage registration **server** acts as a certificate authority for netpage printers, since it has access to secret information allowing it to **verify printer** identity.

When a user subscribes to a publication, a record is created in the netpage registration **server** database authorizing the publisher to print the publication to the user's default printer or...

...a particular user and is signed by the publisher using the publisher's private signature **key**. The page server verifies, via the registration database, that the publisher is authorized to deliver the 0 publication to the specified user. The page **server** verifies the signature using the publisher's public **key**, obtained from the publisher's certificate stored in the registration database.

The netpage **registration server** accepts requests to add **printing authorizations** to the database, so long as those requests are initiated via a pen **registered** to the **printer**.

### 3.3 NETPAGE PEN SECURITY

Each netpage pen is assigned a unique **identifier** at time of manufacture which is stored in read-only memory in the pen and...

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NETWORK PUBLISHING AUTHORIZATION PROTOCOL

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Detailed Description

Claims

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English Abstract

A network publishing authorization protocol, for use in a network  
connected to a printer, a server and a publisher of network publications.  
The protocol authorizes the printing of a publication at the printer. It  
includes the steps of: addressing the publication to a user; signing the  
publication using a private **key** ; sending the publication to the  
printer; and confirming that the publication may be printed at the  
**printer** , by **verifying** the private **key** signature. Confirmation may  
take place at the printer or at the **server** .

French Abstract

L'invention porte sur un protocole d'autorisation de publier pour reseau  
relie a une imprimante a un serveur et a un editeur de publications du  
reseau. Ledit protocole, qui autorise l'impression d'une publication sur  
une imprimante, comprend les phases suivantes: adressage d'une  
publication a un abonne, signature de la publication a l'aide d'un code  
prive; transfert de la publication a l'imprimante, et confirmation de  
l'autorisation d'impression par verification de la signature par code  
prive, ladite confirmation pouvant se faire au niveau de l'imprimante ou  
du serveur.

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because the pen belongs to a user who is **registered** to use the **printer**. The **printer** sends its own printed ID 62, together with the pen ID, to the registration **server**. The **registration server** determines if a **printer** record 802 and a pen record 801 are linked to the same user record 800 in the **registration server** database 74. if the **printer** is meant to know the pen but doesn't, then it initiates the automatic pen **registration** procedure described below. If the **printer** isn't meant to know the pen, then it agrees with the pen to ignore...credit 415 to the original page server together with the hyperlink request II). The page **server** uses the hyperlink request ID to identify the printer, and sends the credit on to the relevant **registration server** together with the **printer** ID. The **registration server** credits the corresponding **printer** provider account 814.

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#### Claim

- ... and  
confirming that the publication may be printed at the printer, by verifying the private **key** signature.
- 2 A network publishing authorization protocol according to claim 1, including the further step of **registering** the user with a **printer** by creating a record in a database of a first **server** connected to the 0 network.
- 3 A network publishing authorization protocol according to claim 2...
- ...step of verifying the- publisher's signature at the printer using the publisher's public **key**, obtained from the first **server**. i i. A network publishing authorization protocol according to claim 9, including the further step of **verifying** at the **printer** that the **printer** is **registered** for the user, by accessing the first **server**.
- 12 A network publishing authorization protocol according to claim 5, including the further step of...
- ...of verifying the publisher's signature at the second server using the publisher's public **key**, obtained from the first **server**.
- 24 A network publishing authorization protocol according to claim 23, including the further step of. verifying at the second **server** that the **printer** is **registered** for the user, by accessing the first **server**.

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**INTERACTIVE DEVICE NETWORK REGISTRATION PROTOCOL  
PROTOCOLE D'ENREGISTREMENT RESEAU DE DISPOSITIF INTERACTIF**

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Claims

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**English Abstract**

In a network connected to an interactive device and a registration server, a protocol for registering the interactive device with the registration server, including the steps of: installing a secret key and a public unique identifier in non-volatile memory in the interactive device and in a database of the registration server, before the interactive device is connected to the network; then, when the interactive device is connected to the network, authenticating the interactive device at the server by verifying the interactive device's encryption, using the secret key, of a challenge message; and finally, if the authentication succeeds, registering the interactive device in the database of the registration server.

**French Abstract**

Cette invention a trait a un protocole d'enregistrement de dispositif interactif a un serveur d'enregistrement dans un reseau connecte a un dispositif interactif et a un serveur d'enregistrement. Ce protocole comporte les operations suivantes : mise en place d'une clef secrete et d'un identificateur unique public dans la memoire remanente du dispositif interactif et dans une base de donnees du serveur d'enregistrement avant la connexion du dispositif interactif au reseau puis, une fois le dispositif interactif connecte au reseau, authentication du dispositif interactif aupres du serveur par verification dans un message test du chiffage du dispositif interactif, lequel chiffage utilise la clef secrete et enfin, si l'authentification aboutit, enregistrement du

the user requests a Web terminal **authorization** page via the **printer** 601. The netpage **registration server** generates a short-lifetime one-time-use **authorization ID** 412 for the Web terminal which is printed on the **authorization** page 413, together with...

...well as the **URI** of the **printer**. 'Me Web terminal generates a **signature** public/private **key** pair 95,96, and transmits the public **key** 95 to the **registration server**. The **server** allocates a **terminal ID** 68 for the Web terminal, and stores an **authorization** record 809 in the **registration server** database linked to the **printer** and containing the **terminal ID** and public **key**. The **URI** of the **printer**, the Web terminal's **terminal ID**, and the private **signature key** 96 are stored locally in the Web terminal's database 76.

A preferred embodiment of...

...a digital **signature** 418 to the request, created using the Web terminal's private **signature key** 96. On receipt of the request and before acting on it, the **formatting server** verifies, via the **registration server** 11, that the terminal is **authorized** to print on the specified **printer**. The **registration server** verifies, via the Web terminal record 809 in the **registration server** database, that the terminal is **authorized** to print to the **printer**, and **verifies** the digital **signature** using the terminal's public **key** 95.

The user can print a list of current printing **authorizations** at any time, and...

...whether they already know each other.

If they don't know each other, then the **printer** determines, via the **registration server** 11, whether it is supposed to know the pen. This might be, for example, because the pen belongs to a user who is **registered** to use the **printer**. The **printer** sends its own printed **ID** 62, together with the pen **U**), to the **registration server**. The **registration server** determines if a **printer** record 802 and a pen record 801 are linked to the same user record 800 in the **registration server** database 74. If the **printer** is meant to know the pen but doesn't, then it initiates the automatic pen **registration** procedure described below. If the **printer** isn't meant to know the pen, then it agrees with the pen to ignore...the printer provider credit 415 to the original page server together with the hyperlink request **ID**. The page **server** uses the hyperlink request **ID** to identify the printer, and sends the credit on to the relevant **registration server** together with the **printer H**). The **registration server** credits the corresponding **printer** provider account 814.

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NETWORK PRINTER REGISTRATION PROTOCOL  
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English Abstract

In a network connected to a printer and a registration server, a network registration protocol for registering the printer on the network includes the steps of installing a secret unique **identifier** and public unique **identifier** in non-volatile memory in the printer and in a database of the **registration server**, before the **printer** is connected to the network; then, when the **printer** is connected to the network, **authenticating** the **printer** to the **server** by comparison of the secret unique **identifiers** installed in printer and **server**, using a secure transmission between the two over the network. Also a network registration signal for transmission over a network from a **printer** to a **registration server** to **register** the **printer** with the **server**, where the signal is transmitted at the first occasion the printer is connected to the network.

French Abstract

Dans un reseau relie a une imprimante et a un serveur d'enregistrement, on utilise pour enregistrer l'imprimante dans le reseau un protocole d'enregistrement comportant les phases suivantes: installation d'un identificateur secret unique et d'un identificateur public unique dans une memoire non volatile de l'imprimante et dans la base d'enregistrement du serveur avant de raccorder l'imprimante au reseau; apres raccordement de l'imprimante, authentication imprimante/serveur par comparaison entre les identificateurs secrets uniques de l'imprimante et du serveur;

et utilisation d'une transmission sure transitant par le reseau entre l'imprimante et le serveur. L'invention porte egalement sur le signal d'enregistrement de l'imprimante dans le serveur d'enregistrement, transitant par le reseau et allant de l'imprimante au serveur, et transmis lorsque l'imprimante est reliee pour la premiere fois au reseau.

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**METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR DISTRIBUTING DOCUMENTS**

**PROCEDE ET SYSTEME POUR LA DISTRIBUTION DE DOCUMENTS**

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Claims

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**English Abstract**

A method of distributing documents, via a communications network, to a plurality of receiving stations associated with a plurality of users. At least one document layout is pointcast to each receiving station, the document layout being associated with a predetermined user and defining one or more data objects such as text, images and graphics. Collections of shared data objects are then multicast, via the communications

network, to the receiving stations on the basis of the respective users' document layouts. Each collection is only transmitted to those receiving stations whose users' document layouts include data objects in that collection.

#### French Abstract

L'invention concerne un procede de distribution de documents, par un reseau de communication, a plusieurs stations receptrices associees a plusieurs utilisateurs. Au moins une presentation de document est envoyee par diffusion a destination unique a chaque station receptrice, la presentation du document etant associee a un utilisateur predetermine et definissant un ou plusieurs objets de donnees, tels que le texte, les images et les motifs graphiques. Des collections d'objets de donnees partages sont ensuite envoyes par multidiffusion, par le reseau de communications, aux stations receptrices, en fonction des presentations des documents des utilisateurs respectifs. Chaque collection n'est transmise qu'aux stations receptrices dont les presentations de documents d'utilisateur comprennent les objets de donnees de ladite collection.

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Detailed Description

#### Detailed Description

... reference is made to the secure transmission of information between a netpage printer and a **server**, what actually happens is that the **printer** obtains the **server**'s certificate, **authenticates** it with reference to the certificate authority, uses the public **key**-exchange **key** in the certificate to exchange a secret session **key** with the **server**, and then uses the secret session **key** to encrypt the message data. A session **key**, by definition, can have an arbitrarily short lifetime.

#### 3.2 NETPAGE PRINTER SECURITY

Each netpage printer is assigned a pair of unique **identifiers** at time of manufacture which are stored in readonly memory in the **printer** and in the netpage **registration server** database. The first **ID** 62 is public and uniquely identifies the printer on the netpage network. The second **ID** is secret and is used when the printer is first registered on the network.

When a certificate containing the printer's public **ID** and public signature **key**, and stores the certificate in the registration database.

The netpage registration **server** acts as a certificate authority for netpage printers, since it has access to secret information allowing it to **verify printer** identity.

-26 When a user subscribes to a publication, a record is created in the netpage registration **server** database authorizing the publisher to print the publication to the user's default printer or...

...a particular user and is signed by the publisher using the publisher's private signature **key**. The page server verifies, via the registration database, that the publisher is authorized to deliver the publication to

the specified user. The page **server** verifies the signature using the publisher's public **key** , obtained from the publisher's certificate stored in the registration database.  
The netpage **registration server** accepts requests to add **printing authorizations** to the database, so long as those requests are initiated via a pen **registered** to the **printer** .

### 3.3 NETPAGE PEN SECURITY

0 Each netpage pen is assigned a unique **identifier** at time of manufacture which is stored in read-only memory in the pen and...sends the printer provider credit to the original page server together with the hyperlink request **ID** . The page **server** uses the hyperlink request **ID** to identify the printer, and sends the credit on to the relevant **registration server** together with the **printer ID** . The **registration server** credits the corresponding **printer** provider account 814.

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#### NETWORK TERMINAL AUTHORIZATION PROTOCOL

#### PROTOCOLE D'AUTORISATION POUR TERMINAL DE RESEAU

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#### English Abstract

A network terminal authorization protocol, for use in a network connected to a printer, a server and a network terminal. The protocol authorizes, via the server, the printing of a document at the printer at the request of the network terminal. It includes the steps of: creating, at the server, an authorization record authorizing the network terminal to print at the printer; requesting, at the network terminal and via a printing request, printing of the document at the printer; verifying, using the authorization record, that the network terminal is authorized to print at the printer; and, in the event that the verification succeeds, sending the document to the printer for printing.

#### French Abstract

L'invention concerne un protocole d'autorisation pour terminal de reseau, qui s'utilise dans un reseau relie a une imprimante, un serveur et un terminal de reseau. Le protocole autorise, par l'intermediaire du serveur et a la demande du terminal de reseau, l'impression d'un document au moyen de l'imprimante. Le procede d'utilisation consiste a creer, au niveau du serveur, un enregistrement d'autorisation autorisant le terminal de reseau a imprimer au moyen de l'imprimante; a demander, au niveau du terminal de reseau et par le biais d'une demande d'impression, l'impression du document au moyen de l'imprimante; a verifier, grace a l'enregistrement d'autorisation, que le terminal de reseau est autorise a imprimer au moyen de l'imprimante; et, apres verification concluante, a envoyer le document a l'imprimante pour impression.

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Detailed Description

Claims

#### Detailed Description

... the second server validates the request with reference to the first server. The first **server** may be a registration **server**, which, among other things, records network terminal authorizations. The second **server** may be a formatting **server** which formats documents for printing at the **printer**.

Preferably, the **authorization** record includes an **identifier** for the terminal, an **identifier** for the printer, and a public signature **key** of the terminal. Preferably also, the printing request contains the identifier for the terminal, the...

...request contains the document to be printed. In another embodiment, the printing request contains an **identifier** of the document.

Preferably, an **authorization identifier** is requested via the **printer** from the first **server**, and subsequently printed at the printer together with the **printer identifier**. Preferably, the **authorization identifier** is submitted, together with the printer **identifier**, via the network terminal to the first **server**, as part of a request to authorize the network terminal to print at the printer. Preferably also, the first **server** creates the authorization record on behalf of the network terminal in response to the request, authorizing the network terminal to print at the **printer**, unless the **authorization**

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**PCNFS on Windows 95. (Net Worth) (Technology Information)**  
 Baker, Steven  
 UNIX Review, v15, n2, p13(5)  
 Feb, 1997  
 ISSN: 0742-3136 LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: Fulltext; Abstract  
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... products I tested used the PCNFS Daemon (PCNFSD) protocol for authentication and printing. A PCNFSD **server** running on a UNIX machine authenticates a PC user against the UNIX system's username and **password** entries. For PCNFSD to work effectively with multiple NFS **servers**, it is important to keep PC usernames, **passwords**, and UNIX user and group **IDs** in sync on the UNIX systems. SunSoft's PC-NFSPPro and Esker's Tun Plus...

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Baker, Steven  
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... on an NFS server.  
All these products can use the PCNFS daemon (PCNFSD) protocol for authentication and printing. PCNFSD authentication is based on running a PCNFSD **server** on a UNIX machine that authenticates against the UNIX system's username and **password** entries. SunSoft's PC-NFSPPro includes PCNFSD binaries for Solaris 2 and SunOS along with...

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**NFS on the desktop. (Sun Microsystems' Network File System) (Product Information)**  
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... running NetWare.  
A PCNFS adjunct protocol also was developed in the late 1980s to facilitate authentication and printing from PC clients using NFS. For authentication on UNIX systems, most NFS implementations base security on the user **ID** (uid) and group **ID** (gid) of the user and the IP address of the client's machine. Although the...

...UNIX vendors aside from Sun. The PCNFS protocol authenticates a user's UNIX username and **password** and returns the appropriate uid and gid for file access. One or more PCNFS daemon (PCNFSD) **servers** could be run on a local subnet providing authentication for any PCNFS clients. As part...  
...3 filename limits and file attributes imposed by MS-DOS. Sun made freely available PCNFSD **server** source code that could be compiled on most UNIX systems. As a result, most major...

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...      responding to RPC authentication requirements.

The PC-NFS daemon (PCNFSD) protocol was developed to handle  
**authentication** and **printing** for PC-NFS clients. PCNFSD takes a username  
and **password** (mildly encrypted when sent over the network) and returns  
the user ID and group ID the client should use for UNIX authentication  
of RPC packets. PCNFSD also adds a simple scheme for printing--transmitting  
a PC printer job to a print file on the NFS **server**. PC-NFS clients must  
map UNIX filenames to the 8.3 filename limits of MS...  
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...      in speed. Administrators can use the Simple Network Management  
Protocol (SNMP).

Security features include multilevel **password** protection, automatic  
dial back, inbound and outbound packet filtering, and authentication via  
the Challenge Handshake **Authentication** Protocol and **Printer** Access  
Protocol. For additional security, users can purchase Cayman's Radius  
**Authentication Server** software, which provides a single database for  
**passwords** and security access for multiple GatorAccess or can serve as a  
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**Network printer registration protocol authenticates printer by comparing secret identifiers of printer and server, which are transmitted between printer and server over network**

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Abstract (Basic): WO 200072499 A1

NOVELTY - A **secret** unique identifier is stored in the **printer** and in database of **registration server** before the **printer** is connected to the network. When printer is connected to the network, the **printer** is authenticated by comparing the **secret** unique identifiers of **printer** and server, which are transmitted between **printer** and server over the network.

DETAILED DESCRIPTION - The **secret** unique identifier is stored in **printer** and server with public unique identifier. The **secret** unique identifier along with public unique identifier and public **key** of

printer are transmitted to the registration server to authenticate printer connected to the network. An INDEPENDENT CLAIM is also included for network registration signal.

USE - For registering a printer such as high speed color printer on network.

ADVANTAGE - Periodicals from subscriber or authorized sources is only delivered unlike the fax or e-mail circuit. As signature recorded on netpage are automatically verified, e-commerce transactions are authorized reliably.

DESCRIPTION OF DRAWING(S) - The figure shows the schematic view of printer registration protocol.

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NETWORK PRINTER REGISTRATION PROTOCOL

PROTOCOLE D'ENREGISTREMENT D'UNE IMPRIMANTE DANS UN RESEAU

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English Abstract

In a network connected to a **printer** and a registration server, a network registration protocol for registering the **printer** on the network includes the steps of installing a **secret** unique identifier and public unique identifier in non-volatile memory in the printer and in a database of the **registration server**, before the **printer** is connected to the network; then, when the printer is connected to the network, authenticating the **printer** to the server by comparison of the **secret** unique identifiers installed in **printer** and server, using a **secure** transmission between the two over the network. Also a network registration signal for transmission over a network from a **printer** to a **registration server** to **register** the **printer** with the **server**, where the signal is transmitted at the first occasion the printer is connected to the network.

French Abstract

Dans un reseau relie a une imprimante et a un serveur d'enregistrement, on utilise pour enregistrer l'imprimante dans le reseau un protocole d'enregistrement comportant les phases suivantes: installation d'un identificateur secret unique et d'un identificateur public unique dans une memoire non volatile de l'imprimante et dans la base d'enregistrement du serveur avant de raccorder l'imprimante au reseau; apres raccordement de l'imprimante, authentication imprimante/serveur par comparaison entre les identificateurs secrets uniques de l'imprimante et du serveur; et utilisation d'une transmission sure transitant par le reseau entre l'imprimante et le serveur. L'invention porte egalement sur le signal d'enregistrement de l'imprimante dans le serveur d'enregistrement, transitant par le reseau et allant de l'imprimante au serveur, et transmis lorsque l'imprimante est reliee pour la premiere fois au reseau.

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